

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Christopher Olson :  
: Art Unit: 3761  
Serial No.: 10/025,173 :  
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For: THIN, FLEXIBLE, LOW :  
CAPACITY ABSORBENT  
ARTICLE WITH LEAKAGE  
PROTECTION

**STATUS REQUEST**

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SIR:

The above-identified patent application was filed on  
December 19, 2001. We respectfully request a status inquiry on  
the above-identified patent application.

Respectfully submitted,

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